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Chief, Bio-Chemistry & Pharmacology Branch,  
Medicine Division, OSI

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Chief, Technical Branch, SO

Attached

1. Returned herewith are the letters and enclosures of 19 June 1953, reference DBS 735-1-172 (DSI) and DBS 2-61-301-1 (DSI). Also returned is the letter prepared over the signature of [redacted] to [redacted]

2. Mr. [redacted] and the writer have examined the letter very carefully and believe that it excellently states the position of this Agency and quite properly suggests a joint undertaking along the lines discussed.

3. Both [redacted] and the writer hope that OSI representatives (probably [redacted]) at the coming ARTICHOKE meeting tomorrow, Thursday, 16 July 1953, will bring this very interesting problem up for general discussion since in our opinion it is of extreme interest to ARTICHOKE.

4. The writer discussed with [redacted] the proposal of a team from the ARTICHOKE group to carry on the work with the [redacted] [redacted]. The writer told [redacted] he felt that a team composed of [redacted] and [redacted] would be fully equipped to cover all fields and to lay on preliminary work and discussions with the [redacted]. [redacted] concurred in this view entirely.

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